

1. What's a time you took a wrong turn while traveling? How did you feel realizing it? Why is it hard to admit when we've blown it, especially in spiritual areas?

2. Read **Psalm 51**

What stands out to you from David's confession? What words or phrases does David use that show he's truly repentant? How do you see God's mercy and grace woven throughout the Psalm?

3. Read **1 John 1:9** and **Isaiah 1:18**. What do these verses tell us about God's posture toward our sin?

4. Read **2 Corinthians 5:17, 21**. What does it mean to become a "new creation"? How does this connect to **Psalm 51**?

5. Where in your life do you feel the need to "come clean" with God? What guilt or shame might God be inviting you to release this week?

6. Write your own short prayer modeled after Psalm 51. What do you need to say to God today?



CURRENT SERIES



NEW TO NORTHAMPTON?

We're glad you're here! Take a moment to fill-out a **Connection Card** and let us know more about you! If you have children or teens, we have great, safe options for Children's & Student Ministry! Complete info can be found at: [www.NBchurchCF.org!](http://www.NBchurchCF.org)

MESSAGE SERIES

TODAY'S MESSAGE
Summer Road Trip Playlist
The Road to Restoration: Psalm 51

NEXT SUNDAY
Summer Road Trip Playlist
The Greatness of God's Love: Psalm 63

WORSHIP ORDER

CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED

WELCOME

GREETING

GRATITUDE

OFFERING

HOW GREAT THOU ART

WHAT A BEAUTIFUL NAME

MESSAGE

WHO ELSE

SEND OFF AND PRAYER

CLASSES & LIFE GROUPS

SUNDAYS	THURSDAYS
Young Adults Class Room 203	7:00PM Men's Bible Study
The Gospel According to John Study Room 201 9:15am	VARIOUS DAYS LIFE Groups Real-Life Discipleship
WEDNESDAYS – 6:00PM NBstudents(Grades 6-12) See the summer calendar	

NEXT STEPS

WATCH FOR DETAILS!

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UPCOMING AT NORTHAMPTON

WELCOME!

We're glad you have decided to join us online or in-person! We want you to know that you are welcome here! Please take the time to fill out our online Connection Card and down-load the Church Center App to stay connected! Thanks for joining in!

CHURCH CENTER APP

Interested in joining a team, a LIFE Group or signing up for an event? Download the **Church Center App** (from your app store), choose **Northampton** as your church, and you are all set!

SUNDAY MORNING PRAYER – 8:30

If you would like to take part in praying for Sunday mornings and each other, join us in the Café.

PRAYER CHAIN

- Please contact Marcia Peters at care@nbchurchcf.org if interested in joining Northampton's prayer chain. If you have prayer request needs, please email them to care@nbchurchcf.org or if you don't email, www.nbchurchcf.org/prayer/.

CARE MINISTRY

If you, or someone you know, has a need for prayer, meals, visitation, or other assistance, please fill out a request card located at the back of the church and drop it in the collection basket or email your request to care@nbchurchcf.org.

NOISE-CANCELING HEADPHONES

Available at the Children's Check-In Desk for anyone desiring to use them during service for sensory reasons.

BROTHERS IN FAITH

This is a group for young men, aged 18-25, to make friends with other believers, enjoy fellowship, pray for each other, dive into scripture and strengthen their relationship with Christ! **We meet every other Saturday in the Overflow Room at 7:00pm.** Contact Christian @christian91404@gmail.com for more information!

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

First Saturday of each month from 9am-10am in the Café. Facilitated by Cindy Worrton and Danielle Cordes.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

Saturday, August 9, 8:00
At Northampton - Sign up at the Connection Wall in the foyer.

MESSAGE NOTES

Pastor Joe Pryor

Big idea: Repentance isn't about guilt—it's about getting back to grace.

When you fall short and sin as a Christ follower, understand:

1. God receives _____ and cleanses your _____

What are you tempted to hide instead of confess? Why is it hard to come clean? Do you believe God has actually made you clean? Or do you still carry guilt He's already forgiven?

2. God _____ and _____ my heart in repentance

Are you asking God just to remove guilt—or to change you from the inside out?

3. God restores my _____ and _____ in repentance

Where has guilt been stealing your joy? What would it look like to live forgiven and free?